## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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## REPLY

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 3, 2008, please amend the claims as follows and consider the remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page  $\underline{9}$  of this paper.